

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1008 – HB 1094

March 30, 2015

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Authorizes constables to carry firearms wherever other law enforcement officers are permitted to carry.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005138): Deletes and replaces certain language such that the amended bill authorizes constables to carry firearms wherever other law enforcement officers are permitted to carry firearms, provided they are POST certified and maintain POST certification.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Based on information from the County Technical Advisory Service (CTAS), constables are not POST certified and must provide their own equipment. Therefore, the fiscal impact of this amended bill is not significant on local government operations.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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